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Religious Announcements.
BAPTIST CHURCH, Bathurst-street. — TO-MOR-

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PEBBLESLEY CHURCH.—Sunday Morning,
Rev. J. BOWEN: Evening, Rev. W. CLARKE.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.—
SUNDAY MORNING, 10 o'clock, Rev. J. H. BIR-
CHAMPEL at 7. **Missionary Tea on TUESDAY** next: March 15.
10 o'clock to 7; tickets, 15 c.

S. H. SMITH, Esq., in the Chair.

PEWTON WEDNESDAY CHURCH.—SUNDAY,
2 o'clock, 11 a.m.: Rev. W. W. Rutledge; 7 p.m., Rev. S. R. LANE.
SUNDAY SCHOOL, 10 o'clock.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.—
The week will be held at the New Temperance Hall, Pitt-street
TODAY, and TOMORROW, at 7 p.m. **Mission Service** at Tem-
perance Hall, 7 p.m.

CLEAN-STREET CONGREGATIONAL SUNDAY
SCHOOL, Woodlark.

ANNIVERSARY SERVICE.—Will be preached on **SUNDAY,**
March 27. Morning, Rev. W. CERNOW; Afternoon, Rev. J.
H. BIRCHAMPEL.

Collection in Aid of S. F. Funds.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Will be held in Schoolroom on
UNDAY, MARCH 27. At 10 o'clock, after which Public
READING, when addresses will be delivered by Revs. J. F. Sun-
dridge, J. H. BIRCHAMPEL, and J. SANDS, Hon. Sec.

UNITED-REFORMED CONGREGATIONAL Church.—The Rev.
Thomas Hope, of South Australia. Morning and Evening.

PROTESTANT HALL, Castlemaine-street.—Evange-
listical Service, 7 p.m.

REDSBYRRIAN CHURCH, Manly Beach.—Rev.

Dr. MOORE WHITE will preach in the Centenary Hall, at 4.45 p.m. on **FRIDAY**, next.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CONNECTION, 61, FORT STREET.—A General Meeting will be held (weather permitting) To-morrow, at the corner of Jellie-street and Fanning-street, at 11.15 a.m. The Rev. J. H. HARRIS will preach in the Centenary Church respectively, at 11.15 p.m. Meeting to be held at 6 o'clock. **Special Musical Service** at each service in the evening. **Special Religious Service** at each service in the evening.

F. T. JONES' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 10, BATHURST-STREET.—The Rev. Dr. STELL will preach To-MORROW, at 11 and 7.30. **Lessons from the Bible** at 11 and 7.30.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, BOURKE-STREET.—Morning, Rev. J. DAWSON; Evening, Rev. Dr. KELLOCK.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, WILLIAM-STREET.—Morning, Rev. F. DAWSON; Evening, Rev. W. E. BOURNE.

WESLEYAN CHURCH, RIVER-STREET.—Morning, Rev. F. DAWSON.

On WEDNESDAY, March 1st, a Public Tea Meeting will be held in the above Church, for the purpose of raising farewells for the **Rev. J. H. HARRIS**, who is about to leave for his new appointment.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.—**ANNUAL TEA AND PUBLIC MEETING.** To be held on **WEDNESDAY, March 1st, at 7.30 p.m.** **Speakers:** **W. J. FORSTER, Esq., M.L.A.,** President of the Association and **Rev. J. H. HARRIS, M.A.,** Minister of the Centenary Church.

Rev. Dr. STEPHEN ...
Rev. Dr. KELLY
Rev. Dr. WYCKIN
on tables at half-past 8 o'clock. Tickets, 1d.
...
NING, at 7-9, CAMPBELL Street, corner Elizabeth and Nelson
...
TUESDAY EVENING Service at 7.30
MONDAY AFTERNOON, Mother's MEETING, at 2.
DAVID WALKER, General Sec.
PUBLIC MEETING will be held in the York-street
Presbyterian Church on THURSDAY, March 6, commencing
at half-past 7 o'clock. Addresses will be delivered on
the subject of "THE PRESENT POSITION OF THE CHURCH IN
Britain," and Rev. J. O. RIDGE, from India. Collection in aid
of the Bazaar.
NEW SOUTH WALES AUXILIARY TO THE
BRITISH AND FOREIGN BIBLE SOCIETY.
The Sixty-fourth Annual M-EETING will be held in the
Common Hall, on MONDAY, March 7, at a quarter to 3 p.m.
The President, the Hon. ALBERT ARTHUR, will deliver
the Address.
THOMAS R. TRESS, Honorary
GEORGE F. WISE, Secretaries.
LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY.-OFFICE
RETURNED TO THE DONOR.
WHAT IS TRUTH? CHRIST, who was "born to
bear witness to truth," said by His Prophet ISAIAH, that
He would "destroy the cunning counsel thereof; He shall
destroy it." WHY? BECAUSE OF THE BLESSING COM-

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SUNDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 27, 1901.

MR. CHARLES BRIGIT
delivers a LECTURE, entitled
SCIENTIFIC METHOD IN CHRISTIANITY, COMPARED
with a reply to the first Leading Article in last Saturday's
B.—These articles are popularly ascribed to ARCHEBISHOP
LUGAN.

EXTRACT FROM ARTICLE.
The Evening News lately, following the opinions
of Mr. Bright on the above subject—"the true basis of morality—
enunciated in a lecture delivered at the Theatre Royal on
Friday last, by Mr. Charles Brigit, of the University of
the most supreme pity for the misguided leaders of the
of the world, who are so ready to believe that the
we were not disturbed if the bow of the intellectual
of the world, who are so ready to believe that the
to the law of God, or the yell of the blasphemous
of many, should occasionally avail our ears."
of our country, and the understanding of the blessed
powers of such," &c., &c.

PROPRIATE SELECTIONS OF MUSIC BY THE CHOIR.
Doors open at 7, commences at 7.30. Sitting as usual.

UNRETHOUGHT "CREEDS."—French Communism
and Socialism, and the Liberty of the Press.
Lecture, 27th, City Hall, Courthouse—7.30.
PROVINCIAL FREE PLATFORM ASSOCIATION.
Lecture, 27th, City Hall, Courthouse—7.30.
Subject: "THE MANY SONS OF GOD AND THE LIFE."
By Mr. HENRY MILLER.

Agricultural Society's Show.
GRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF NEW SOUTH
WALLES.
AUTUMN EXHIBITION, APRIL 19, 1881.

NOTICE TO EXHIBITORS.
Entries in the Horse, Cattle, Pigs, Poultry, and Dogs Sections, close on **FRIDAY, the 4th March.**
Forms of Entry can be obtained on application to the Secretary.

THOS. MOSER, Secretary.

Exhibition Notices.

SYDNEY INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

MEETING OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE will be held at the offices of the Commission at 9 p.m., on **WEDNESDAY** next, the 1st instant.

(Signed) **AUGUSTIN MORRIS, Secretary.**

February 26th, 1881.

few mine, from Station, 14s and 14s. Bartlett, Prospect H.

HAVE TO LET
4th of March. The following Properties:—
or from John McQuade, * HILLY and LOUGH, St. Paul.

TENDERS received until **FRIDAY, 11th M**
the Erection of a House, Harris-street, Pyrmont.
REUSS and HALLORAN,
Architects, 106, Pitt.

TENDERS received until **FRIDAY, 11th M**
the Erection of Three Houses, Redfern.
REUSS and HALLORAN,

TENDERS required for the Completion of a 55 ft Dwelling. Plan and specification may be seen on to Mr. A.P.S., Hanover-street, Waterloo. Tenders close 5th March.

TENDERS will be received until **TUESDAY** March next, for Boring or Drilling 4-inch Hole, deep through rock. For particulars apply to D. A. THOMAS.

TO BUILDERS.—TENDERS required for the erection and completion of a stone House at North Shields, plans and specifications, and all particulars, apply to G. C. High-street, East St. Leonards.

TO MASONS, Bricklayers, and Carpenters.—TENDERS required, by the 4th of March, for the Erection only of a Shop and Dwelling, in Balmain. Plans and drawings, to be seen at the office of the Architect, on the 1st of March.

TENDERS wanted, for taking Hundred Tons of Coal from Newcastle to Iluka, Clarence River,
D. MACQUARIE, 321, George-st., Sydney.

TENDERS required for the Erection of two Houses, labour only. Plan and specification can be applied to Mr. HALL, 30, Campbell-street, Haymarket.

NO STONEMASONS—TENDERS are required for the Foundations of 9 Houses, Darlingford Road. Specifications to be seen at 144, Liverpool-street.

TENDERS wanted to Buy the Building Materials for 170, Campbell-street, Suva, Fiji.

TENDERS for Stabling, man's room, &c., wanted
and shingle, Capt. Finlayson, Undercliff, Duke-st.,
TENDERS invited for Brickwork, labour, or labour
materials, corner of Yurong and Francis streets.
TENDERS wanted, to sink pit and build a close
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BLUESTONE FLAGGING, 24 or 3 inch squared
 " Landings, all sizes
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repairs executed by workmen from the best
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D R. JACKSON has returned to town, and can be consulted as usual at his residence, 146, Phillip-street.

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street, Soule's chambers, next door to Push's.

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ware and Oil Merchants, 36, York-street.

WANTED, Dressmakers and others to know of
place for killing by machine, 85, Crown-street, W.

WAYTON, House Painter, Paperhanger,
and Glazier, 11, Tottenham-street.

ECONOMY IN MOURNING.—Special value in Black Goods of all description. Pretty shapes in Mourning Bonnets and Hats.
E. WAY, Family Mourning Warehouse, 215, Pitt-st.

CROYDON LAND SALE, THIS DAY. Plans and lithos. obtainable. **HARRIS and GORMAN.**

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LATEST INTELLIGENCE.

(BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.)

(REUTERS' TELEGRAMS.)

ACCIDENT TO THE PREMIER.

LONDON, Feb. 24. A painful and somewhat serious accident befell Mr. Gladstone yesterday. On his return from a drive, as the Premier was in the act of alighting from his carriage, his boot caught, and he fell heavily forward, his head striking the carriage-step with great force. Mr. Gladstone sustained injuries of a somewhat serious nature, his head being severely cut and bruised. These injuries are of a sufficiently serious character to compel him to keep his bed for the present.

LATER. A bulletin has been issued this evening stating that no danger is to be apprehended from the results of the accident. The physicians in attendance state, however, that perfect rest is absolutely necessary for some little time.

PARNELL IN PARIS.

LONDON, Feb. 24. The object of Mr. Parnell's recent visit to Paris, to which place he returned yesterday, has now transpired. It is the intention of the Irish Land League to make the French capital one of the principal centres of the organization, in order that the heads of the League may issue decrees without incurring the risk of arrest at the hands of the Irish authorities.

THE BOER REBELLION.

TELEGRAMS have been received yesterday from Newcastle, stating that Sir G. P. Colley has taken advantage of the arrival of a convoy which reached Lanesprek a day or two ago to send out reconnoitring parties, which have been engaged making further examination of the position occupied by the enemy. This step is considered to be the precursor of some more important movements, which are looked for at an early date.

It has been ascertained from reliable sources that the Dutch inhabitants of Natal, who are very numerous, have been in active communication with the leaders of the Boer rebellion since the outbreak of hostilities between the latter and the British, and that the Dutch have recently been assisting the Boers with money, and otherwise.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

NEWCASTLE.

FRIDAY. The export of coal for the week is 24,900 tons. The Customs revenue received for the same period, £1101 8s. 3d.

A successful meeting of promoters of the proposed Poultry Pigeon, and Canary Show was held last evening, and adjourned, only preliminary business having been transacted.

A motion has been placed on the Borough Council's business paper to authorize the erection of new municipal chambers, which are badly wanted.

The weather to-day is wet, and stormy-looking.

WEST MAITLAND.

FRIDAY. A thunderstorm broke over the town about midnight last night, and some light showers fell to-day. Steady rain continued until late this afternoon. The weather is still cloudy.

DUNGOO.

FRIDAY. At Little River a number of the miners are selling out and are going to the Mount Browne Diggings. A party started for those diggings from here on Monday. We had a heavy shower of rain last night, and it is now raining heavily, with every prospect of a wet night.

WEST KEMPSEY.

FRIDAY. Four selections, in all 310 acres, were purchased yesterday, at the land office. Two are situated at Coff's Harbour.

The weather is intensely warm. More rain is wished for.

GRAFTON.

FRIDAY. Yesterday, at the Grafton land office, nearly 400 acres were selected, and over £300 was received as interest and deposits. During the past two weeks over £800 has been received in Grafton as revenue from Crown lands. Last week's was over £300.

Snakes have been killed in several houses right in the heart of the town.

The annual meeting of the Grafton Fire Brigade, held last night, was largely attended. The income and expenditure for the year were about equal—viz., £260.

Great hopes are entertained here that the Government intend including the Clarence and New England lines in their railway policy. If such is the fact, there is every probability of great rejoicing.

PARKES.

FRIDAY. Medley and party caught yesterday, after crushing 200 tons, yielding 301 oz. of retorted gold. This is the claim from which the rich specimens have lately been obtained. Westphalen and party's stone, from a claim near Alandrie's store, is now being put through. This is a new line of reef, and the result is expected to be good. The prospectors have realized 11 dwts. to the ton, and the rest really worked. Some good parcels of alluvial gold have been bought by the bank. The dams are now well filled, and pudding and crushing operations are in full force.

BATHURST.

FRIDAY. Information has been received that 63 tons of quartz, from Messrs. Shepherd and Hurley's claim, Mitchell's Creek, yielded the on 15 dwts. of gold. Several claims have been recently marked out at this place by Bathurst and Sydney speculators.

The committee of the Agricultural Association have decided on altering the date of the annual show to the 12th and 13th of April. This is done to meet the wishes of the Sydney exhibitors.

KIAMA.

FRIDAY. The first meeting of the provisional directors of the Co-operative Company for the sale and export of colonial produce takes place in the Council-chambers on Thursday next.

The blue metal industry is assuming large proportions. The steamer Llewellyn is now loading, and six sailing vessels are employed carrying stone to Sydney.

A storm of wind, rain, and hail, accompanied by thunder and lightning, passed over this locality at 9 o'clock last evening. The lightning was most intense, and the rain was the heaviest ever seen in the district. The hailstones, though not large, came down with great force, owing to the strong wind, and did some damage in the orchards and gardens.

BRAIDWOOD.

FRIDAY. Some wheat crops at Jambalambene have yielded thirty to forty bushels per acre; on an average there are about twenty bushels.

The potato crops, like the pastures, look splendid. There is plenty of winter grass.

The weather is very cold, and threatening rain. There was a terrific lightning storm here last night; torrents of rain fell for a short time, but none whatever outside of five miles south.

CAROAR.

FRIDAY. The secret last night with 380 oz. 16 dwts. 8 grs. of gold.

TEMORA.

FRIDAY. Mr. Bailey, of the Temora Herald, accidentally took a dose of acetate of lead for other medicine. The quantity taken was 1 drachm. At first serious danger was apprehended, but now the doctor says it is averted. He is still prostrated.

There is great excitement here in regard to the

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisements for Monday's paper are received at this office as late as 9 o'clock on Saturday night. With the exception of announcements of an important or urgent nature, advertisements must be forwarded to the Editor not later than 4 o'clock on Saturday morning.

SUPPLEMENTARY SUMMARY.

A supplementary summary of news for transmission by the M. S. P. & N. to India and England will be published in Monday's Herald. The mail for newspapers will close at 4.30 p.m. on Monday.

The Sydney Morning Herald.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1881.

In the Legislative Assembly, yesterday, Sir Henry Parkes replied to a question from Mr. T. R. Smith, respecting an application for a Public School between Springwood and Mount Victoria; and Mr. Lacey stated, in answer to Mr. Passell Barton, that the Government would be prepared to advertise for tenders for the extension of the railway from Kynges to Berrig within a month.

Mr. J. P. Anson, as a matter of privilege, brought before the House the question of whether the hon. member for Argyle, Colonel Holborn, was entitled to be elected to or retain a seat in the House in view of the fact that at the time of his election he was an officer in the Volunteer service, and was the holder of an office of profit under the Crown; and furthermore, that he had recently been removed from the rank of captain to that of lieutenant-colonel, whereby his emoluments had been increased. He moved that the case be referred to the Elections and Qualifications Committee for inquiry and report, and he contended that the decision of a previous committee in Ryan v. Shepherd was erroneous.

Mr. Henry Parkes would not object to the question being referred to the committee, but he desired that Colonel Holborn's recent promotion had been due to political influence.

Mr. GARNETT thought the question was surrounded by doubt, in consequence of Volunteer officers not being specially included in the exemptions from disqualification named in the Constitution Act.

Mr. FRANKLAND believed there was no doubt that Colonel Holborn had been illegally elected.

The motion for the reference was then put, and agreed to.

Mr. WITTEMAN presented a petition from citizens of Sydney, praying for further inquiry in relation to the water supply.

Returns were ordered, on the motion of Mr. ANSTON, in reference to the alleged obstructions to the harbour arising by Pyrmont Bridge.

Mr. DOUGLAS moved the second reading of the Wages and Gas Bill, which he stated had been agreed to by a select committee of the House.

Mr. WEA moved it to be his duty to warn the members of the bill—which was a copy of the Bathurst Act—against their giving too much power to the Messrs. Wark, with whom the Bathurst Council could not work, and who supplied gas of an inferior quality.

After remarks from Mr. JOHN DAVIES, Mr. PITCHER said he thought the agreement between the Wages Council and the Messrs. Wark was sufficient to prevent a recurrence of the Bathurst experience.

Mr. FORSTER thought the bill should give no more power than was to be found in the Maitland Gas Bill in reference to disturbing or opening streets, and that the promoters should be under an obligation to carry out the works properly.

The second reading was agreed to without division, and the House went into committee on the bill.

Mr. FORSTER moved an amendment in clause 1, providing that the promoters should not, without the consent of the constituted authorities, enter upon or break up any highway or street, which was negatived on division by 41 to 30.

Another amendment, by Mr. FARNELL, providing that forty-eight hours' notice must be given of proposed works, and by 46 to 16.

Another amendment, by Mr. FARNELL, providing that the promoters should be under an obligation to carry out the works properly, was negatived by 41 to 27.

The clause as amended was agreed to, and was also a new clause, proposed by Mr. FORSTER, rendering the promoters liable for the cost of the gas, if the promoters did not within two years supply gas of proper quality at the stipulated price.

The remaining clauses were agreed to, and the bill was reported with amendments.

On the order of the day being read, for the resumption of the adjourned debate on the resolutions for the revision of the interest on conditional purchase bills.

Mr. PROCTOR submitted that the resolutions were not in order, inasmuch as they would remit a debt due to the Crown, and should, therefore, have been introduced by message.

Mr. SQUIRE ruled that the resolutions were in order, as they were only of an abstract character.

Mr. COVILLAN opposed the resolutions on the ground that the selectors obtained their land on easy terms, and that they could relieve themselves from the position of debtors either by paying up in full or at their convenience. He claimed Sir Henry Parkes for his want of foresight in the question, which had, in his opinion, given the advocates of remission reason to hope they would be supported by the Government, and he was disposed to think it would be wise to make a concession to the extent of allowing the selectors to discharge their debts by ten yearly payments of 2s. 6d. per acre, so as to put in effect the agitation of hungry candidates for Parliament who were prepared to do anything which they thought would gain them popular favour.

Mr. PROCTOR said this question was one of the main issues at the general election, and the country returned a large majority of members opposed to remission. He hoped the division would be so decisive as to show that the Government were not to make concessions to selectors who had obtained their land on easy terms, and that there was any principle underlying their land Acts it was the encouragement of agriculturists to whom liberal privileges had been extended. A large portion of the land had been sold to persons who were able and willing to pay the full value, and the Government were not to make concessions to selectors who had obtained their land on easy terms, and that there was any principle underlying their land Acts it was the encouragement of agriculturists to whom liberal privileges had been extended.

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with the Government. The terms fixed by the Act of 1861 were enthusiastically accepted, and there was even now no evidence that the people desired them to be changed.

The hon. gentleman answered the principal arguments advanced in support of the resolutions, and said he believed no Government would ever be found so recent to its trust as to attempt to carry out the policy they embodied.

The debate was then adjourned to the 18th March. A message was received from his Excellency the Governor intimating that he had assented to the Temporary Supply Bill.

The House adjourned at 15 minutes to 1 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Tuesday next.

It may be supposed that the city aldermen have now finally agreed upon the first step to be taken in the matter of the foundations of the Town Hall. At the usual meeting of the Council, held last week, it was decided to adopt the recommendation of the City Architect, which was to the effect that the whole of the foundation and walls be taken down and re-erected in a proper and workmanlike manner. The aldermen also resolved, first, to secure the opinion of counsel as to whether they have any legal remedy against the late City Architect for the loss and damage sustained through the action of the great hall were constructed; and second, that the contractors who did the work shall be disqualified from doing any further work for the Corporation. Both of these are virtuous resolves, although, as regards the latter, we should have thought that it was hardly necessary to go through the formality of making a solemn pledge. The chief anxiety of the public will be to know, not what is to be done with the men who are responsible for the scandal which has occasioned so much uneasiness, but what steps are to be taken to prevent a repetition of it. Those who have read the various reports which have been made by professional men will hardly believe that in adopting Mr. SAITFORD's recommendation the City Council has taken the wise course. Mending a bad article is generally a doubtful experiment, and according to all accounts the badness of the article which the City Architect naively invites each alderman to view for himself is almost without a parallel. By resorting to the process of underpinning, which some professional men at first recommended, the Council might for the moment save time and money, but in the long run this policy would, in all probability, turn out to be a very wise and a pound foolish one. Under present circumstances, at all events, the city aldermen had better be sure than sorry.

According to the new City Architect, the cost of taking down and re-erecting the whole of the foundations will be £40,000. That is the approximate cost; but, judging from all but universal experience in such matters, the public will have reason to congratulate themselves if the evil that is done is remedied for less than £10,000. The present foundations, we believe, cost something like £10,000, and that he might make them complete the contractor received an addition of some £2000 to his contract. Nor is the monetary loss the worst part of the business. As an exhibition, perhaps, of startling incapacity in some directions, and certainly of bare-faced fraud in others, this scandal can hardly be forgotten. It is no new thing for public bodies to be regarded as fair marks for unscrupulous tradesmen. But, for many years, the credit of the community, as things go, grossly and impudently dishonest as the deeds with which the public have been made so familiar during the last few weeks is of rare occurrence. For something like a quarter of a century past the citizens of Sydney have been asking for a Town Hall, and asking in vain. One body of aldermen after another has acknowledged the necessity for such a structure, but all have agreed to postpone the business of providing it. At last, however, our municipal representatives consented to take action, and they took action accordingly, but with what result the public are too familiar. In 1878, if we remember aright, the foundation-stone of the great hall was laid, if not with great rejoicing, at least with many hopes.

Two or three years have gone since this event occurred, and now, on the strength of the ablest professional opinion at the Council's command, we are told that all that has been done so far is for nothing, and that there is no course left for the aldermen but that of commencing de novo. Such is the present state of things. In regard to it, it is of little use indulging in reflections or regrets. These will not make the case a whit better. The mischief has been perpetrated, and the only thing left is to take such measures as will prevent a second mistake. It will be said that this will be done as a matter of course. But the history of our Corporation affairs is not calculated to make the public very sanguine upon this point. If that history has not disclosed other instances of downright dishonesty, it has furnished cases of bungling of no common order. There is a general impression that something like a fatality attends whatever the Corporation takes in hand. It can hardly be denied that it has made itself famous for unsuccessful experiments; and although the blame for whatever is fraudulent in the Town Hall affair will rest upon those who were responsible to the City Council for the carrying on the work, the aldermen themselves who were in office when the work was done will hardly be held to be free from responsibility. It is in the highest degree unlikely that such gross speculation would have been ventured upon if the building to be erected had been a private one. Instances are rare indeed of work of this nature being done so badly that every part of it has to be done over again, and the reason is a simple one. Private individuals are in the habit of keeping an eye upon their own interests, and of choosing the best available men to watch those interests on their behalf. But public bodies are occasionally given to trusting too much in Providence, and, as the case alluded to shows, the providence does not always turn out to be a good one.

No one will suppose that it was the duty of the city aldermen to appoint officers to build the Town Hall, and then to superintend the building of it. But to most men it will appear passing strange that so much bad work should be put into these foundations and that nobody should have got to know anything about it. It will not be asserted that the fact that such was the case proves collusion, but it certainly indicates a curious obliviousness to it that went on before the aldermen's eyes. Week after week and day after day the members of the City Council might be found near

the spot where the foundation of the Town Hall was being laid, but of the incapacity or the unscrupulousness that was being so systematically exhibited nothing was discovered.

It will probably not be doubted that this sorry business is to be accounted for by incapacity as well as by dishonesty. The public will find it difficult to believe that the latter would have been attempted by the contractors, or their representatives, if the officers who were entrusted with their oversight had been equal to their work. Unfortunately the selection of officers who are the best men for the positions they occupy cannot always be taken for granted where Municipal Councils are concerned. A number of considerations besides those of professional ability are often imported into the affairs of such bodies. Men are appointed to responsible posts rather than for that of the abilities they possess. There has been too much of this sort of thing in the past, and the Town Hall scandal will not have been created for nothing if it should put a stop to it for the future. One thing is certain, and that is, that if after what has happened there is any recurrence of this species of fraud the citizens will have themselves to thank.

Nobody can say with truth that the Government have been in a hurry to bring into operation the compulsory provisions of the Public Instruction Act of last session. No signs of such haste yet appeared, no convictions have been secured, no summonses even have been issued, and no trust officers commissioned to find out the delinquencies of parents. Of this we do not complain, for it is better to allow time for the law to be well understood, and for the moral force of its penalties to take effect, than to bring its full power suddenly into operation upon an unprepared and probably uninformed people. But time enough has been now given for this purpose, and the Executive have done well to prepare the necessary machinery for carrying out the law. Although many thousands of children who were formerly absent from school have now been brought back, still it must be evident to anybody who observes what is passing in our streets that there are a large number of children of school age either playing the truant or sent to work prematurely. Without a compulsory provision of some kind never will be sent to school for a single week, for unscrupulous parents will find their earnings no matter at what cost to the future welfare of the child. The compulsory law was made for such offenders as these, and it should begin to be effective. The Government have taken a step in that direction by gazetetting the conditions of exemption from compulsion. Children of school age not attending school will be beyond the reach of the truant officer if they have already attained a certain standard of instruction. They must be able to read ordinary prose, such as that of the Fourth Book in the Irish series, with ordinary fluency; they must be able to write in cursive hand, and be able to spell, an ordinary sentence from dictation; and they must be able to work sums in the four simple and compound rules of arithmetic, and in reduction and compound proportion. That is not a very severe standard. Tested by the condition of the British peasantry half a century ago it is formidable. Tested by the condition of the peasantry now, and still more by that of the Swiss and Saxon peasant, it is far too low. But parents should remember it is only the minimum of instruction their children are to receive, not the standard to which they should aspire. The meaning of this Gazette notice is that henceforth it will be understood in New South Wales that no parent does his duty by his children unless he secures for them efficient instruction in the elements of a sound primary education, and we trust public opinion will prove itself so far ahead of the law that the compulsory powers will never need to be actually enforced.

It has so repeatedly been a matter of difficulty to trace the connection between the offence and the sentence when magistrates have dispensed justice, that to refer to fresh instances of the kind may appear a work of supererogation. But there is reason to believe that it is only by watchfulness and holding up to public notice cases which call for explanation that magistrates are to be, as a body, induced to cultivate the judicial faculty. There have occurred within the past few weeks two cases almost identical in their nature, in both of which a work of supererogation was done. In the first, a woman, to punish a mite of a child but three years of age, held it under a water tap, and being called away, left it there with a log of wood on top of it to prevent its getting away. The result was that the wretched infant was nearly smothered, and that the Bench of magistrates before whom the perpetrator was brought fined her a few shillings. The other case was dealt with yesterday at the Water Police Court in this city. A young woman was charged with cruelly treating her stepson, and the evidence against her was so strong that she was found guilty. She had been beaten black and blue from head to foot. The Bench characterized the case as heartless in the extreme, and charged the woman just one pound sterling for this luxuriousness in heartlessness. The magistrates remarked that it was consideration of the circumstances of the case which induced them to treat her with leniency. This is one of those inconceivable remarks which bewilder people when magisterial agency is the theme. An ordinary person would have thought the circumstances of the case rather pointed to severity. We can only conjecture that perhaps the magistrates referred to the circumstances of the case which induced them to treat her with leniency. This is one of those inconceivable remarks which bewilder people when magisterial agency is the theme. An ordinary person would have thought the circumstances of the case rather pointed to severity. We can only conjecture that perhaps the magistrates referred to the circumstances of the case which induced them to treat her with leniency.

We learn from the Paris correspondent of the Times that remodelled regulations for primary schools have been issued. They forbid corporal punishment, and provide that the wish of the father shall always be consulted as to participation in religious instruction; that children shall not be sent to church for catechism or service except out of class hours; that the teacher shall not be bound to take them or watch over them there; that Sundays and Thursdays shall be holidays; and that punishments shall consist of bad marks, repetition, partial privation of recreation, detention after school hours, and temporary exclusion, not exceeding two days.

At the luncheon given at the Duke of Manchester at Delly, in the course of his address his Grace related the following amusing occurrence—A by-the-by, talking of squatters reminded him of an incident that occurred during the late Jambalambene and Chalkhill squabbles. He stopped for a drink of water at the house of a man named M'Fie, who asked if the Duke was not coming by with Mr. Bell; on being assured that he was the Duke, M'Fie shook his head dubiously, and said, "Go on, you're only joking," and despite all his assurances that M'Fie was M'Fie would not be convinced, until Mr. Bell and the Duke had left his house, whereupon M'Fie walked round him and said in despair, "Blessed if I could find out his way to the barrow, and they would take you for nothing else but a bushman." This excited his ambition, and he felt that, though he could not hope to be a bushman, he would like to be a squatter.

His employees of the Colonial Sugar Refining Company, at Pyrmont, held their annual picnic on Saturday, 19th February, the expenses of which, as on the first occasion, were defrayed by the company. The steamers Commodore and Prince of Wales conveyed the excursionists (numbering about 700) to Clontarf,

where they arrived shortly after 10 a.m. A programme of sports was arranged, consisting of eleven events, all of which were keenly contested. During the forenoon toys and confectionery were distributed amongst the children, and this proved a very interesting feature in the day's proceedings. The weather was beautifully fine, and all enjoyed themselves thoroughly. The excursionists remained about 3 p.m., and were landed in town without accident of any kind. The day's proceedings were brought to a close with a dance in one of the large stores at the Pyrmont refinery, which was gallantly decorated with flags for the occasion.

In reference to the disagreement which has taken place between the master curriers and their employees, a meeting of employers was held yesterday, at the Pyrmont refinery, about 20 of the master curriers were present, and a resolution was unanimously carried adhering to the 10 hours' system.

An instance of the danger attending the careless use of fire at this dry season of the year is mentioned in the Melbourne papers; that two Frenchmen, named Henri Loeal and Louis Emard, were walking along the Bourke Road, Upper Hawthorn, when, in lighting their pipes, they accidentally set fire to the aschela hedge surrounding the property of Mr. H. S. Smythe, at present residing in Sydney. The flames spread rapidly, but fortunately there were a number of persons in the vicinity who assisted in subduing the fire, though it was with difficulty that they prevented the amount of £30 or £35 from being done. The men were arrested, and brought before Dr. Enbiling, and remanded. Both are hard-working men, of good character, residing at Lilydale. The penalty for the careless use of fire whereby damage is caused, is imprisonment not exceeding six months, or a fine not exceeding £100.

The charge against Mr. Alphonse Dochet, for arson, in connection with the recent fire in Barrack-street, the hearing of which was commenced on Thursday, was continued yesterday before Messrs. Penfold, Moses, and Gray. The whole day was occupied in the examination of George Gardner, a youth who was in the employ of the defendant; and the further hearing of the case was then postponed until the next day, as there are still a large number of witnesses for the prosecution, as well as several for the defence, to be examined. Mr. J. H. Watt and Mr. H. E. Cohen, instructed by Mr. T. M. Slattery, appeared for the defendant; while Mr. Heydon is prosecuting on behalf of the Crown.

A case came on the Bench at the Water Police Court yesterday, in which a technical point of importance to people who waste water was decided by the Bench. A man, a foreigner, was charged with wasting water, by allowing his service tap to run; and the evidence showed that when the tap-turncock discovered it defendant himself was not near it, but that his servant was washing clothes there.

The servant was the person who should have been summoned. Defendant expressed his disapproval of the servant's negligence directly he heard of it, and it would be altogether unjust to send a man to gaol, if he were unable to pay the fine, for an offence committed by another. He also threatened to take further proceedings against his servant.

Further proceedings the Bench's disapproval of the threat, which he said was made to influence the Bench in their decision, and then ordered defendant to pay a fine of 20s. and costs, or seven days in gaol.

JAMES WELSH, an old man, aged seventy-nine, was knocked down by a wagonette in Blane-street, Newcastle, on Thursday night, and terribly injured. He is suffering from the concussion of the brain, a severe wound of the left thigh, a compound fracture of the left leg, the dislocation of the right shoulder joint, and several lacerated wounds. He is not expected to recover.

The correspondent of the Argus states—Disastrous fires have occurred amongst the selectors at St. Helena, about 20 miles from Belfast. The houses of Messrs. James Forster and M'Kellar, with the fence and grass, have been totally destroyed. A farmer named Isaac Watts lost everything but his house, which, being built of stone, would not ignite. His garden, barn, stacks of grain, and pigs in the sty, all went, and now the property is a desolate ruin. The selectors mentioned are entirely ruined.

As soon as the Assembly met on Tuesday (says the Argus), it plunged into the railway patronage question. Mr. Mason, who moved the adjournment of the House in order that the subject might be discussed, gave a pitiful account of the experiences of his people, whose case he mentioned last week. The man, he says, attended daily at the department until he was told that he would be given into custody. He and his family were then taken to a small room, where they were kept for several days. As to Mr. Elsdon's explanation, published in the Press, that he is assured that no such discourtesy was shown to Mr. Mason's friend, the hon. member says that it is a "false and lying statement." He warned the Minister for Railways that he would not stand that sort of thing. "Neither," said Mr. Mason, with emphasis, "will I stand Customhouse men being sent down to my district as line-repairers and porters, when my constituents ought to have the posts." Mr. Mirams loftily declared that the radical party had no need of spoils, but he does not believe that Mr. Patterson is sincere. He assumes that the Minister is simply stalling. Some of the members of the Opposition, he says, are not so much discouraged by the support of the Opposition in the step that he has taken, and he expressed the hope that the arrangement will be legalized by the appointment of a Board to take charge of the patronage of the department.

The following is the order of musical service at St. Andrew's Cathedral, for Queensland, on Sunday, February 27—Magnificat, S. S. Wesley; Nunc Dimittis, S. S. Wesley; Anthem, "Blessed be the God and Father," S. S. Wesley.

A LITERARY CLUB.

For some weeks past a movement, which was originated by the proprietors and the literary staff of the Sydney Morning Herald, with the assistance of gentlemen representing other Sydney journals, has been in progress for the establishment of a literary club in Sydney, and Friday, 18th inst., at a general meeting of the promoters of the project, held in the Chamber of Commerce, rules for the club were finally passed, and the club itself was duly constituted on a firm basis. The object of the promoters is to bring together members of the literary and other liberal professions in the metropolis and the country districts, and to give them additional opportunities for friendly social intercourse; and the club is to be so constituted that, while it will provide the entertainment and advantages usually found in high-class establishments of this character, the main object of its formation will be effectually secured. At a meeting, held on the 18th ultimo, the club was formed, and it was decided to issue a circular explaining the objects, and inviting co-operation; and at the same meeting a provisional committee was empowered to draft a constitution for the club, such draft to be submitted to a general meeting of members for confirmation. That meeting was, as mentioned above, on last Friday week, and there was a very good attendance. Mr. James H. Fairfax, Q.C., presided, and Mr. Hugh George, Q.C., acted as secretary. The rules adopted by the club are:—That the club shall be a literary and social club; that the club shall be open to all persons who are qualified to participate in religious instruction; that children shall not be sent to church for catechism or service except out of class hours; that the teacher shall not be bound to take them or watch over them there; that Sundays and Thursdays shall be holidays; and that punishments shall consist of bad marks, repetition, partial priv

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 Bookcases, £5 to £12
 Toilet Tables, 10s to 40s
 Washstands and Sinks, £1 to £2
 Wardrobes, £4 10s to £12
 Telescope Dining Tables, £10 to £15
 A Great Variety of Toilet Glasses,
 Chair-dressing and Commodes, at the lowest prices.
 Austrian Furniture of all kinds, very cheap
 and of the most sumptuous design, and Clockwork.
 The latest patterns in Brussels Tapestry, Kidderminster and
 Carpet, Linoleum, Kamptulene, and Floorcloth, and
 in fact, the best and cheapest article in every line of house
 furnishing are to be had from
 ALEXANDER MOORE and CO.,
 15, Abchurch Lane, LONDON, E.C. 4.
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 [O] PARTIES LEAVING FOR THE CONTINENT,
 ON GIVING UP HOUSEKEEPING.

The undersigned are cash purchasers of Household Furniture, Carpets, Bedsteads, &c., at Auction, and will purchase all such goods as they are prepared to give up possession; and they will take away the same goods for immediate sale by auction, without delay.

CHARLES FORBES,
JAMES MOORE and CO., Labour Market, Auctioneers, Cornhill.
Advertisement Aug. 28, 1846. — FIVE TO ELEVEN

ROBERT HARDY, Furniture Warehouse, 38, Park-street, London, W.

I have several new and best cases offered in this City. Weekly or monthly payments. Second-hand furniture bought, sold, or exchanged.

WANTED BUYERS OF FURNITURE, NOFORTH,
ROBERT HARDY, 38, Park-street.

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REDUCED PRICES.

Consisting of

Cupboards, Dining, and Bedroom Suits, in great variety

Chairs and Bedding

Chairs, Wardrobes, Sideboards, Chiffoniers, Chest Drawers

Tables and Coffer Cabinets, generally of the best materials

Furniture, and every other household article suitable for furnishing.

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 PUT PARTICULARS post free to all parts of the colonies.
 MARGAINS in Drawing-room Furniture.
 THE MECHANIC'S BUTIC, consisting of spring-seated Couch
 and Chairs, Oval Centre Table, Sideboard and Washstand, piece
 of Mahogany, and a Bedstead.
 MARGAINS in Musical Instruments, Pianos, and American
 guns, beautiful goods.
 TODAY WE CLOSE AT 1 O'CLOCK. COME EARLY NEXT
 WEEK.
 CAMPBELL, BROTHERS, into W. R. CAMPBELL,
 ROYAL FURNITURE ARCADE,
 425 and 426, GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY, NEXT WEEK.
 THE ROYAL HOTEL

Bortcliffe, Farming, &c.
 WIDE HORSE MILLS, Parramatta River.—Fine and

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Auction Sales.

WEDNESDAY, March 2nd.

Ladies' Underclothing.
Ladies' Dressing Traps.
Ladies' and Boys' Clothing.
Boys' and Girls'.

JAMES RODD will hold his next sale by auction of
drapery, clothing, and boots, at above.

Particulars on Monday.

On Tuesday next, 1st MARCH, at 11.

Hunting and Cressel-Club Watches.
Diamond Jewellery and Fancy Goods.
Electroplated Ware, Pure
Pewter, Cutlery, Fancy Goods, &c.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their
rooms, 124, Pitt-street, on TUESDAY next, at 11.
A fine assortment of watches and fancy goods, ex Cuzco.
Particulars on Monday.

No Leading, ex Delcom.

Grey Colours, Longclothes, Tweeds, Coatings.
Blankets, Flannels, Cheviots, Woollens.
Alpacas, Boys' Clothing, Men's Clothing.
Quilts, Sheetings, Hosiery, Hats, &c.

CHAS. MOORE and CO. will sell by auction, at their
rooms, 124, Pitt-street, on THURSDAY and FRIDAY next,
at 11 o'clock, at 11.
A large stock of the above goods, now being opened.

Particulars on Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, March 2.

INDIAN TEAS.

CHOICE PARCELS, embracing 60 PACKAGES SOUVENIRS,
PEKERS, and GUNPOWDER TEAS.

By order of the Commissioner for the Government of India, and
Representative of the CALCUTTA TEA SYNDICATE.

The Grocery Trade of Sydney are invited to inspect the several
Chas. Moore and Co. are open at the City Mart,
and every facility is provided for inspecting.

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WEDNESDAY, 2nd MARCH.

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Under instructions from
Messrs. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and Co.
Ex Conrad Hirsch, from Hamburg.

8 CASES VERY SUPERIOR MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,
consisting of
VIOLINS, by Stradivari, Hoffmann, Stainer, Maggini, &c.
VIOLIN BOWS, PICCOLLO, FLUTE, FLAGEOLETTES,
CLARINETTES, ACCORDIONS,
CORNET-A-PISTON, VIOLIN CASES, &c.

To Musicians, Musical Instrument Vendors, Private Buyers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN have been favoured with instructions from
Messrs. MONTEFIORE, JOSEPH, and Co., to sell by auction, at their rooms, 107, Pitt-street,
WIND and STRING MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
No reserve.
Terms at sale.

WEDNESDAY, 2nd March.

For Sale by Auction.

BRILLIANT-TONED GRAND PIANOFORTE, in Ebony Frame,
with all the latest improvements.

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STABLE DWELLING-HOUSE, Nos. 4, PAWLEY-STREET, FITZGERALD, 4 rooms, 4, as at set at 14s per lot. Tight.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

E and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, 125, Pitt-street, at **WEDNESDAY, 9th MARCH,** above-described property, situate only a few yards of Burke-street, and in a populous locality. Inspection invited.

GREEN-STREET, BALMAIN.

Close to
OS-STREET and GREEN-STREET FERRIES.

GARDEN SOIL. GOOD BUILDING LAND, TOGETHER WITH
STONE-BUILT COTTAGE RESIDENCE.

IS OFFERED IN A SUBDIVISION, THIS COMPACT, BEING, AND VERY CONVENIENTLY SITUATED, FOR 20 years, occupied by M. E. WILKINSON, Esq., has been subdivided by M. LICENSED SURVEYOR and Senior, and will be submitted to PUBLIC COMMISSION.

ON THE GROUND,
at 3 o'clock, on
SATURDAY, MARCH 12th,
by
HARDIE and GORMAN.

are now being prepared, and will be ready for years shortly.

to close to two FERRIES has been offered for years RICH. The population of the LOCALITY is VERY the sites are well suited for homes of persons or neighbourhood or to build.

of the property is invited before the date of sale to view the same. SUCH CONVENIENTLY SITUATED, set equal to WATERSIDE FRONTAGES, and within of the General Post Office.

PREPARED PARTICULARS IN DUE COURSE.

FREEHOLD TITLE. LIBERAL TERMS.

CITY INVESTMENT.

SUSSEX and GOULBURN STREETS.

HOTEL, situate at the corner of SUSSEX and TURN STREETS, at present occupied by Mr. Doyle, brick, on stone foundations, with slated roof, containing 2 parlours, large drawing-room, 4 bedrooms, kitchen, &c., &c., &c.

No. 287, SUSSEX-STREET, occupied by Mr. ROBINSON, and No. 359, SUSSEX-STREET, containing 4 rooms and kitchen, built of brick, on stone foundations, at present occupied by Mr. PAYNE, also No. 391, SUSSEX-STREET, containing 6 rooms, &c., &c., built of brick on stone foundations, at present occupied by Mr. DAVIS.

THE REAR OF THE STAR HOTEL, containing 4 rooms, &c., built of brick, and let to Mr.

WHOLE YIELDING AN ANNUAL RENTAL OF £374 8s.

FREEHOLD TITLE.

E and GORMAN have received instructions from the proprietor to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at **11.30 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, 10th MARCH,** ABOVE DESCRIBED VALUABLE CITY PROPERTY, situate at the corner of SUSSEX-STREET, and SHOP having been erected only about 5 YEARS, the brick-work is 14 inches.

See inspection invited.

ARNOLD HOTEL.

No. 1 and 2, QUEEN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA RIVERVIEW.

LL-BUILT BRICK FAMILY RESIDENCES, on foundations, each containing verandah and balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, &c., &c.; very large yard with Nice of garden, in front, and in front, STEVE G WATER SUPPLY.

is a frontage of about 60 feet to QUEEN-STREET, and is full depth to wide thoroughfare at rear.

ARE UNRESERVED, over 50 years unexpired. Ground rent 15s.

E and GORMAN will sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at **11.30 o'clock, WEDNESDAY, 10th MARCH,** and 2, Arnold House, Queen-street, Woollahra, situate at the corner of the tramway, overlooking the grounds of RIVERSIDE, and commanding beautiful view of the PICTURESQUE RIVERVIEW.

INSPECTION INVITED.

UNRESERVED SALE.

TO CLOSE ACCOUNTS.

Bondi Estate.

SUBDIVISION SALE.

50 ALLOTMENTS, of 50 feet to GOVERNMENT ROAD 60 feet wide
GEORGIAN-STREET ditto
SOPHIA-STREET ditto
ORRIS-STREET ditto
BALL-STREET ditto
CURLEW-STREET ditto
MATILDA-STREET ditto
GEORGE-STREET.

UNRESERVED SALE.

to be sold
to the highest Bidder.

TITLE, TERMS, &c.

SPECIAL TENDERS:—
to be given by 5 p.m. on cash, and the balance by 12 monthly instalments, WITHOUT INTEREST.

E and GORMAN have received instructions from the proprietors to sell by public auction, ON **THURSDAY, 11th MARCH,**

SATURDAY, 10th MARCH,

ALLOTMENTS, having large frontages and depths, for
POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.

To close accounts.

BONDI ESTATE.

PLAN and LITHOGRAPH IN COURSE OF PREPARATION.

ERS to this estate: Messrs. DAWSON and STEPHEN, 125, Pitt-street.

ES will have the Rooms of the Auctioneers on the
HOTEL, or other BUSINESS SITE, on
LY BEACH, immediately opposite the FERRIES.

1. SECTION 1 of the original sale of the BARRETT ESTATE, having the following frontages:—
100 FEET to the ESPRANADE.
100 FEET to the CORRO.
to the FERRIES HOTEL and the RESERVE, and right to the STEAMER'S WHARF.

PUBLIC FIER is sure to be built immediately in front of this site, which is
IS QUALIFIED FOR ANY BUSINESS PURPOSES, and has MAIN THOROUGHFARES.

E and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at **11.30 o'clock, on**
WEDNESDAY, 6th APRIL,

and 2, section 1.—BARRETT-DARLEY ESTATE/ 100 FEET to the CORRO and the ESPRANADE, right at the STEAMER'S WHARF.

ALBURY. THE ALBURY.

SUBDIVISION OF 31 ACRES OF LAND INTO VALUABLE BUILDING SITES.

TO THE ALBURY RAILWAY STATION.

Preliminary Intimation.

E and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by public auction, at their Rooms, Pitt-street, at **11.30 o'clock, on**
45 CHOICE BUSINESS SITES
to be situated at Albury, being a subdivision of 31 acres of the best land, in course of preparation. Further particulars on application.

PROPERTY-OWNERS AND PROPERTY BUYERS.

DEPOSITED PROPERTY REGISTER (7th issue) is NOW PUBLISHED.

may be obtained at the Rooms, ON APPLICATION FORWARDED PER POST to any part of the colony.

gives full report of sales made during the year ending, 1880, in addition to other and full information.

HARDIE and GORMAN, Property Auctioneers, 125, Pitt-street, Sydney.

Y D O N. C R O Y D O M.

CHAITSWORTH ESTATE.

MAGNIFICENT VILLA SITES.
WIDE ROADS, HIGH LAND.
LIBERAL TERMS. FREEHOLD TITLE.

ERS, at the Rooms.

HARDIE and GORMAN, 125, Pitt-street.

CITY PROPERTIES.

OS-STREET, OFF GEORGE-STREET WEST, and
OS-STREET, OFF ARDLEY-STREET.

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(—HARRINGTON-STREET. TWELVE (12) LOTS, Nos. 14 to 24, with six others at rear; the whole producing a rental of \$2500 YEARLY.

(—YERDES-PLACE, Nos. 1 to 7, WOLLANGLAND, all to be sold.

HOUSES, to LET, 4 rooms, kitchen, large yard, rent 14s weekly. S. H. Road, op. baracca, Paddington.
 LET, in Datchet-street, Balmain, 4-roomed COF-
 fice and bookshop. Apply HARRIS and ACKMAN, 167,
 Pitt-st.
 LET, very nice RESIDENCE, in eastern suburb, near
 the river, small family, 6 rooms, 2 bathrooms, val-
 uation, nearly equal to Louth-Grove, Westchester, 12d.
 LET, 108, Forbes-street, containing 10 rooms, front
 back verandah, very convenient. Apply next door.
 To a good tenant.
 LET, Newtown, Margaret-street, op. Station-street,
 DOME, 6 rooms, kitchen, city water laid on, very con-
 venient. Apply cottages 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26,
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